

2022 course descriptions

Proof of workers compensation insurance must be sent in with the registration form. Waivers for workers compensation insurance will NOT be accepted.

Course Title	Course Description	Day and Length	Prerequisites and/or Required Equipment
Firefighter I: Essentials of Firefighting	The Essentials class will be broken into four, 4-hour blocks. Students will be divided into four groups and rotate through the four blocks of training.	Saturday and Sunday 16 hours	Required equipment: Full protective clothing, including turnout coat, pants, hood, helmet, boots, gloves, eye protection and certified SCBA
Forcible Entry	Identifies forcible entry tools and explains how to use and maintain them. Shows how to do "through-the-lock" entry on different types of doors. Demonstrates various methods of forced entry through three types of doors and three types of windows.	4 hours	Required equipment: Full protective clothing, including turnout coat, pants, hood, helmet, boots, gloves, eye protection and certified SCBA
Ventilation	Students will learn the basics of ventilation operations, the advantages of proper ventilation, considerations for deciding if and where to ventilate, vertical and horizontal ventilation, and natural and forced ventilation procedures.	4 hours	Required equipment: Full protective clothing, including turnout coat, pants, hood, helmet, boots, gloves, eye protection and certified SCBA
SCBA/PPE SCBA Confidence Maze	Presents the identification and function of protective clothing used in fire ground operations. Demonstrates correct methods for using and caring for protective clothing as well as the limits of protection. Presents the components, functions, and safety features of various types of SCBA. Demonstrates correct procedures for donning and doffing SCBA and shows how to change cylinders at an emergency scene.	4 hours	Required equipment: Full protective clothing, including turnout coat, pants, hood, helmet, boots, gloves, eye protection and certified SCBA
Ground Ladders	Students will learn basic parts and terms that are common to most ladders. The various types of ladders in use by the fire service. The proper care, carrying, deployment, and use of fire service ground ladders	4 hours	Required equipment: Full protective clothing, including turnout coat, pants, hood, helmet, boots, gloves, eye protection and certified SCBA



Specialty Training Packages	Students will be divided into groups and rotate through the blocks of training.	Saturday and/or Sunday	These classes are paired for optimal training. Pairs are color coded for each block of training.
		16 hours	
Specialty Training #1: Flashover Safety and Survival Training This course will use SIFA's flashover trailer.	This is a lifesaving program for recognition and survival of the phenomena of flashover. Students will learn to better understand the phenomena of flashover, to recognize the signs of flashover, techniques to possibly give them time to escape a flashover and to save firefighters from injury and death from flashover.	Saturday or Sunday 8 hours	Prerequisite: Chief or Training Officer approval To participate in this training, students must meet facial hair requirements as per NFPA. Required equipment: Full protective clothing, including turnout coat, pants, hood, helmet, boots, gloves, eye protection and certified SCBA
Rules of Air Management This segment will be located off-site at the Burley FD, 1235 Miller Ave.	This is a lifesaving program for recognition and survival of the phenomena of Flashover. Students will learn to better understand the phenomena of Flashover, to recognize the signs of flashover, techniques to possibly give them time to escape a flashover and to save firefighters from injury and death from flashover.	Saturday or Sunday 8 hours	
Specialty Training #2: Responding to Propane Emergencies	Learn how to respond safely to emergencies involving LPG. Topics include physical properties, overview of the various types of containers and fittings, and tactical response guidelines.	Saturday or Sunday 8 hours	Prerequisite: To participate in this training, students must meet facial hair requirements as per NFPA. Required equipment: Full protective clothing, including turnout coat, pants, hood, helmet, boots, gloves, eye protection and certified SCBA
Principals of Modern Fire Attack	This class will provide a first-hand look at the dynamic studies to educate the students on how they can serve their fire departments best. They will be able to adjust their policies, tactics and training to create a safer environment for the fire service as well as the people they serve in their communities.	Saturday or Sunday 8 hours	
Specialty Training #3 FEMA – Homemade Explosives: Awareness Recognition and Response	This course provides the first responders with information on general explosive characteristics, hazards, materials, manufacturing indicators and IED components. Teaches responders how to identify homemade explosives and establish scene safety.	Saturday only 8 hours	

FEMA – Incident Response to Terrorist Bombing	This course provides first responders with the knowledge and skill to safely respond to terrorist incidents involving explosives. The course focuses on responder safety and personal protection issues that arise when responding to incidents involving commercial and homemade explosive devices.	Sunday only 4 hours	
FEMA – Understanding and Planning for School Bombing Incidents	This course provides first responders with the knowledge and skill to respond to school bomb threats and school bombing incidents. Course provides information on purpose and function of school emergency management plans, warning signs of aggressive student behavior and critical actions when responding to an event.	Sunday only 4 hours	
Extrication Awareness and Operations	Classroom presentations cover vehicle extrication safety considerations, scene safety systems, vehicle stabilization. Also includes hands on field presentation and practice of vehicle stabilization, extrication techniques using a wide range of basic tools through power hydraulic extrication tools.	Friday (1800), Saturday, and Sunday 20 hours	Required equipment: Full protective clothing, including turnout coat, pants, hood, helmet, boots, gloves, eye protection and certified SCBA
Heavy/Farm Extrication This class will be off-site.	This class involves the extrication from heavy equipment found in the agricultural settings. Students will effectively learn how to deal with the challenges associated with heavy and more durable farming implements.	Saturday and Sunday 16 hours	Prerequisite: Awareness and Operations Extrication Required equipment: Full protective clothing, including turnout coat, pants, hood, helmet, boots, gloves, eye protection and certified SCBA
Fire Apparatus and Pump Maintenance	The students will gain an understanding of basic pump theory and will learn to recognize and understand the principles of accessories such as primers, ball valves, etc. They will also learn how to perform a running check of the truck/fire pump and be able to determine if there are any operating deficiencies needing attention and/or repairs	Saturday and Sunday 16 hours	Required equipment: Coveralls and safety glasses
EMS – Air St. Luke's	Air St. Luke's will be teaching content on how to provide the best care for your patient, while still taking the best care of yourself, the EMS Provider. 16 CEUs will be earned.	Saturday and Sunday 16 hours	Prerequisite: Licensed Emergency Medical Provider

Rope Rescue by CNC	Rope rescue is a subset of technical rescue that involves the use of ropes, anchors and belaying devices, friction rappel devices, various devices to utilize mechanical advantage for hauling systems, and other specialized equipment to reach victims and safely recover them.	Friday (1800), Saturday, and Sunday 20 hours	Required equipment: Gloves, hardhat, eye protection, boots and coveralls
NFA - Fire Investigation for First Responders From the Idaho State Fire Marshal's office	Students will gain a consistent knowledge and skill base for the structure fire origin and cause determination along with collection and preservation of evidence. Course will include live burn cell experience. 16 hours credit through NFA and 4 hours credit through FST	Friday (1800) Saturday and Sunday 20 Hours	Required equipment: PPE and safety glasses
NFA – Incident Safety Officer	This course examines the Safety Officer's role at emergency responses. A specific focus on operations within an Incident Command System (ICS) as a Safety Officer is a main theme of the class.	Saturday and Sunday 16 hours	